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DURING OCTOBER 1976, WHILE THE FIFTH ARAB ATHLETIC GAMES ARE IN PROGRESS IN DAMASCUS, SYRIA, HOTEL SPACE WILL BE VIRTUALLY NON-EXISTENT. THE SYRIAN MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS RECENTLY UNDERLINED THIS POINT IN A CIRCULAR NOTE TO RESIDENT DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS. THE EMBASSY IN DAMASCUS STRONGLY URGES THAT ALL PERSONNEL, EXCEPT THOSE SPECIFICALLY REQUESTED BY DAMASCUS, POSTPONE TRAVEL TO SYRIA UNTIL NOVEMBER. ROBINSON

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